#### Optimistic Speech of ex-Secretary Herbert Before D. K. E.

The fifty-ninth annual convention of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity ended last night with a Saner given in the Waldorf-Astoria. More than four hundred members of the society were present Only the University of Virginia was unrepresented. Two large American flags were festooned as background for the crimson blue and gold colors of the fraternity bearing a lion rampant in black.

nel John J. McCook, acting president of the association of New-York (Lambda, '66), was toastmaster. The speakers were Hilary A. Herbert, ex-Secretary of the Navy (Princeton, '56); David J. Foster (Pi. '80), Congressman from Vermont; M. C. Butler (Delta, '57), ex-Senator from South Carolina J. Day Knapp, president of the Delta Kappa Epsilon Council, and Andrew W. Gleason. The following cable message from Whitelaw Reid, the absent president of the Delta Kappa Epsilon Association,

Best wishes for success for our association en-ertaining convention and for continued prosperity tertaining convention and of the good old fraternity.

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Not only are our people at peace now with each other, but there is observable among the great bedy of them a constantly increasing devotion to the obligations of civic duties. During the last twenty years Civil Service laws and regulations have continually grown in favor because of the growing conviction that as to non-elective offices meritorious service, shall be the test applied. As to elective offices the people are taking that matter in hand and mean to apply the test themselves.

Theodore Roosevelt's popularity lies in his courage and honesty. The constitutional amendments recently adopted in the States of the Far South are intended as a return to the purity of the ballot to which that section was devoted in the days prior to the Civil War.

Our people mean to have honest government—two honest parties everywhere if possible, and if that he not possible, then no parties at ail. All this is indicated by the verdiet from the jury box convicting public officials of crime whenever the testimony fustifies and by the overthrow at the ballot box this very week of those who under the pretence of heing great party leaders have been fattening on public plunder.

The mention of the name of Robert E. Lee by ex-Secretary Herbert provoked applause only less enthusiastic than that given to the name of General Grant. The speaker's allusion to the building of the new navy was warmly received. The reference to the fact that President Roosevelt had spoken on his recent trip to the South within six feet of the spot where Jefferson Davis took the oath of office as the President of the Confederacy stirred the enthusiasm of the assemblage, and when the speaker said, were the elements of the popularity of both Cleveland and Roosevelt. The latter, however, said he, "had the crowning glory of being a D. K. E."

The Rev. Dr. David J. Burrell said that clergymen are reputed to talk so much of eternity that they forget the lapse of time

Congressman David J. Foster, responding to Congressman David J. Foster, responding to Our Fraternity," rectied his experiences in addressing an East Side Italian audience in behalf of McKinley and Roosevelt.

Ex-Senator M. C. Butler insisted that the care which the graduate members had taken of themelyes made it unnecessary for him to respond to be sentiment. "Our Graduate Members." He laimed the Senatorial perogative, "the leave to wint."

Merrill B. Sands, of Vale, responded for Phi Chapter on "Our Undergraduate Members." An-drew W. Gleason, as a veteran member of the fraiernity, was designated to speak of "The Old Regime."

J. Day Knapp, president of the D. K. E. Council

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#### UNITED GAS REACHING OUT.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.] Pittsburg, Nov. 10.—The Philadelphia Company, of this city, is said to have passed into the centrol of the United Gas Improvement Company of Philadelphia. To-night the largest brokerage house in Pittsburg gave out the information that the United Gas Improvement Company had purchased

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the control from Brown Brothers, bankers, of Baltimore and New-York. They hold the majority of the bonds, which are not quoted on any exchange. There has been considerable friction in the directory of the Philadelphia Company among local directors, and this is said to have caused the sale. The total outstanding stock, preferred and common, of the Philadelphia Company, is 345,897,84165, while the authorized stock is \$6,000,000 preferred and \$20,000,000 common. The company is nonded for about \$20,000,000, held principally by Brewn Brothers. The deal is said to involve \$5,000,00.

#### OBITUARY.

#### ROBERT INGERSOLL REID.

Caldwell, N. J., Nov. 16.—Lieutenant Commander Robert Ingersoll Reid, U. S. N., retired, died from neumonia here last night. His home was in Som pneumonia here last night. His home was in Som-erville, N. J., but he was brought here last Satur-day. During the journey he became unconscious and did not rally. He was fifty-three years old. He entered the service in October, 1872, having been appointed from Pennsylvania. For many years he was connected with the engineering branch at the navy yard in New-York. He was retired two years ago. He was a bachelor and had no near relatives living. The body will be cremated.

#### DR. AMOURETTE M. BEECHER.

Santa Barbara, Cal., Nov. 10.-Dr. Amourette M. Beecher, daughter of David Beecher and a cousin of Henry Ward Beecher and Harriet Beecher Stowe, died last night after a orief illness at the age of eighty-three years. Dr. Beecher was born in Connecticut. She was a prominent educator and philanthropist. For four years she was head of the Hartford Seminary for Girls, the first of women's colleges. She was educated in medicine, and gave her time and skill without charge to suffering womanhood, whose welfare had been her life work. Her only immediate living relative is a daughter of her brother, Cate Luther Beecher, of Brooklyn. The body will be cremated at her request.

Troy, N. Y., Nov. 10 .- David Maxon Greene, one of the most skilled civil engineers in this country and from 1878 to 1891 director of the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, in this city, died last night at his summer home in Adams, N. Y. He was seventy-three years old. He served as assistant en-gineer in the navy during the Civil War, and at its close was detailed to the Naval Academy, at Annapolis.

The commanders of forty-eight American warships in the Spanish war received instructions from him, among them, Sigsbee, of the Maine, and Admiral Coghlan. He engineered many railroads and waterworks, and made plans for State canals. He was Deputy State Engineer from 1874 to 1878. Many leading Japanese engineers and naval commanders were instructed by him in Troy. A widow survives him.

### T. B. TAYLOR.

Cumberland, Md., Nov. 1.-T. B. Taylor, seventyne years old, a former Editor of "The Cumberland Evening Times," and who was foreman o 'The Congressional Globe" and later of "The Na tional Republican," Washington, during the days of Lincoln, died this evening. He established a weekly paper at Fairfield, Iowa, which was destroyed by a mob when the Civil War began.

#### PHILIP VERPLANCK.

Philip Verplanck, one of the best known citizens f Yonkers, died suddenly yesterday, in his eighty first year. Mr. Verplanck was a son of Philip Verplanck, of Verplanck's Point, near Peekskill, He studied law in New-York, after which

home. He studied law in New-York, after which he travelled extensively.

When the California gold fever broke out he went to the gold fields, but the life of a miner soon broke his health down and he went into ousiness in San Francisco. After fourteen years of business life he sold out and spent a year in travelling. Returning to New-York, he again entered business life at No. 89 Wail-st., where the firm continued as John Verplanck & Co. until 1883. Retiring, he went to Yonkers, where he had since spent his time looking after his property. He was a member of the Holland Society. Board of Trade and Historical Society. He will be buried in Newburg.



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Post Mails for Great Britain and Ireland are 1 by the White Star Line on Wednesdays and by close 1 on Saturdays. An additional dispatch by the Cunard Line when a Cunard steamer salls lay later than the American Line steamer the . The Parceis-Post mails close one hour before ir mails.

TRANSATLANTIC MAILS.

ATURDAY (11)—At 6 a. m. for Europe, per s. s St. Louis, via Plymouth and Cherbourg (including Ireland when specially addressed for this steamer); at 8:30 a. m. for Belgium (Parcels-Post Mails), per s. s. Kroonland (also regular mail for Belgium when specially addressed for this steamer); at 8:30 a. m. for Italy direct (specially addressed only), per s. s. Koenig Albert; at 9:30 a. m. for Scotland direct (specially addressed only), per s. s. Furnessia; at 10:30 a. m. (supplementary 12 m.) for Europe, per s. s. Etruria, via Queenstown and Liverpool. TUESDAY (14)—At 8:30 a.m. for Italy direct (specially addressed only), per s. s. Hamburg.

MAILS FOR SOUTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA.

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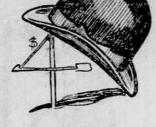
ESDAY (14)—At 93:00 a, m. (supplementary 10:30 a, m.) for Nicaragua (except East Coast), Honduras (except East Coast), Salvador, Panama, Canal Zone, Cauca, Department of Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia and Chara, Salvador, Panama, Canal Zone, Cauca, Department of Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia and Specially addressed for this steamer); at 12 m. for Maraham and Ceara, per s. a Fluminenee (also other parts of Brazil when specially addressed for this steamer.

#### MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

#### INCOMING STEAMERS.

The Campania, reported vesterday by wireless, will dock to-day about S a. m. The Philadelphia, reported by wire-less late last night, will dock to-day about 3 p. m.

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Vessel, From Line Campania Liverpool November 4 Cunar Savole Havre, November 4 Frence Philadelphia Southampton, November 4 America Venetia Hamban Getober 25 Hamban Aprolie Jacksonville, November 5 Clyd Main Bremen, October 30, N G Lloy Di Siglo Gaiveston, November 4 Morga Comai Jackson November 4 Morga Minnetonic London November 2 Atlantic Tran Ruse New Orleans Penerth October Aragabac Jacksonville, November 8
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#### OUTGOING STEAMERS. TO-DAY.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15.  Baltic, Liverpool, White Star	7:00 a m 10:00 a m	

#### SHIPPING NEWS.

Port of New-York, Friday, Nov. 10, 1905.

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Preference will be given to article: of domestic manufacture, conditions of quality and price (including in the price of foreign productions or manufactures the duty thereon) being equal. Standard samules can be seen at and blanks for proposals and full information will be furnished upon application to this office. Envelopes containing proposals to be indorsed "Proposals for Clothing and Equipage, to be opened at 1 o'clock p. m., November 20, 1905." G. S. BINGHAM, Maj. & Qr. Mr., U. S. A., DEOPOSALS. FOR CARRIAGE BOLTS.

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OFFICE PURCHASING COMMISSARY, U. S. Army, No. 39 Whitehall street, New York City, N. Y. Nov. 11, 1905.—Sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering subsistence stores in this city for the month of December, 1905, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock A. M., on Nov. 21, 1905, and then opened. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing bids should be marked "Proposals for Subsistence Stores, opened Nov. 21, 1905." addressed to Licut.-Colonel D. L. BRAINARD, D. C. G., U. S. A.

DROPOSALS FOR SEMAPHORES.—OFFICE of the Assistant Purchasing Agent, Panama Rall-road Company, 24 State Street, New York, November 11th, 1905.—Sealed proposals will be received at the of-fice of the Assistant Purchasing Agent, Panama Rallroad Company, 24 State Street, New York, until 2 P. M. No-vember 21st, 1905, for the furnishing of twenty Sema-phores. Blanks and full information may be obtained at this office. ALFRED ANDERSON, Assistant Pur-chasing Agent.

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